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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
10 **(HONORABLE IRMA E. GONZALEZ)**

11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

Case No.: 08CR0283-IEG

12 Plaintiff,)

Date: April 7, 2008

Time: 2:00 p.m.

13 v.)

14 ENRIQUE AYON-CORTEZ,)

**DECLARATION OF ENRIQUE AYON-
CORTEZ**

15 Defendant.)
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19 I, Enrique Ayon-Cortez, declare the following to be true, under penalty of perjury:

20 1. I am the accused in the above-captioned case and make this declaration in support of a
21 motion filed by my attorney.

22 2. On January 6, 2008, at about noon, I was walking alone along Highway 94.

23 3. I encountered Border Patrol Agents in green uniforms. To my recollection there was
24 more than one agent.

25 4. I stood still and the agents came toward me.

26 5. When they surrounded me I did not feel free to leave.

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6. The agents who arrested me did not tell me that I had a right to remain silent, to refuse to answer questions or to have a lawyer present.

7. I felt compelled to answer their questions.

I so declare this 24 day of March, 2008, in San Diego, California.

ENRIQUE AYON-CORTEZ, Declarant